

REMARKS

Prior to examination, Applicants' have amended the above-captioned patent application to add proper headings and to otherwise amend the application, including the Abstract, to place the application into proper US format. Claim 3 was also amended to correct a minor typographical error.

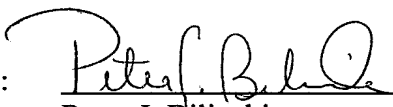
The drawings have been amended to more properly distinguish the single figure as Figs. 1(a) and 1(b) to illustrate the lifting and lowering operations of the invention. To that end, a proposed red-lined version is submitted for the Examiner's review. The specification has also been amended to complement this proposed change. Formal versions will be submitted pending approval of the proposed drawing revision by the Examiner. With regard to all amendments submitted, it is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added. Entry of this Amendment and expedited examination of this application are respectfully requested.

If the Examiner wishes to expedite disposition of the above-captioned patent application, he is invited to contact Applicants' representative at the telephone number below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0289.

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